NEW CHEMISTRY INST. JOINS FACULTY

Mr. George J. Kuzmak, a former Wilkes student, has joined Wilkes faculty on September 24. Mr. Kuzmak, a native of Wilkes-Barre, recently received his Ph.D. in Chemistry from the Pennsylvania State University. He is a member of the Pennsylvania Chemical Engineers Society and the American Chemical Society. His research interests are in the field of organic chemistry.

YELL-LEADERS PLAN HOMECOMING SKITS

The cheerleaders of Wilkes College held a meeting and planned their activities for the week of October 21-24. Plans have been formulated for the week's events, according to the leaders.

VET BONUS RALLY AT COUGHLIN NOV. 2

The League of Women's Clubs will sponsor a Vet Bonus rally on November 2, at Coughlin High School. Mrs. Gertrude Martin, Williams will act as moderator for a debate attended by Attorney Paul K. Sceley, and Mr. Roger G. Bradley, of the Penn-Ho-To-Veteran Committee. Attorney Sceley will represent the affirmative side, while Mr. Bradley will argue the negative. Questions will be accepted from the members of the audience.

ANIMICA PLANNING 2ND BEAUTY CONTEST

IRENE JANOSKI

Members of the Animica staff are making important plans for their second annual beauty contest. A schedule of events will be drawn up and announced soon.

Gypsy Caravan Dance At Cafeteria Tonight

A Gypsy Caravan Dance, sponsored by the Delta Delta Rho, Alpha Chi Sigma, and Eta Sigma, will be held at the Wilkes College Cafeteria on Thursday, October 21. The purpose of the dance is to raise funds for the adoption of a war child. The dance committee, headed by Miss Mary Kuzmak, has made every effort to ensure a successful event.

NOMINATIONS MADE FOR CLASS OFFICERS

Nominations for officers of the Freshman and Sophomore Classes are now being held in the Baptistry Church on Thursday, October 14. Nominations for president are: Lenio, Grossman, Delong, and Michael. Nominations for vice-president are: Nelson, Grossman, Delong, and Michael.

Wilkes Below Quota In Red Feather Drive

CHUCK GLOMAN

"Wilkes College has not reached its quota in the Red Feather Drive," Mr. Robert Parkides, campus campaign director, recently announced.

PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE RELEASES SIXTEEN SCHEDULE FOR HOMECOMING

Wilkes Homecoming, 1949, will offer the alumni an event-filled schedule. Members of the Student Council will be in attendance to cheer on the visitors and to act as guides.

COFFEE HOUR THURSDAY, NOV. 3

Students of Wilkes College will have an opportunity to meet the faculty again on Thursday, November 3. This "get-together" is held with the primary purpose of establishing friendly relationships among students and instructors of the college. Past meetings have shown much success. It is hoped our Freshmen will also benefit from this relationship.

Social Calendar

Oct. 23—Wilkes-Lycoming game.
Nov. 6—Coffee Hour
Nov. 6—Women's Faculty Party
Nov. 8—Homecoming
EDITORIALS

Tom Robbins

Some Growing Pains Are Painful

At the last student-faculty dinner, the topic of class spirit came up for discussion. "How are we going to get more class spirit at Wilkes?" was the cry. Suggestions of all sorts were offered, the best possibly being to let each class feel its own existence by organizing and sponsoring some big affair. "Finest" everybody said. "Great!" was my reply. Another suggestion was to allow the class presidents to join the student council officially, allowing them to cast votes and to actively represent their classes. Bravos and cheers were heard. "Yes," these constructive suggestions would help our college thrive, I marveled those present. This was what we thought as we left the meeting. Wilkes was finally growing into a spirited and progressive school.

The first step was to get the class officers elected and organized. Nominations were scheduled to be at various places on the campus for last Tuesday at 11. The freshman and sophomore classes were to meet in the Baptist Church house, the seniors in the Lecture Hall and the juniors in the Gies Hall music room. Each meeting except that of the seniors was successful. Ironically enough, the juniors were not allowed to use the room at the last minute by the man who initially brought up the subject of class spirit at the student faculty dinner.

We do not mention that point just to bring up personal gripes. We say it to try to bring about some sort of mutual cooperation between the faculty and the student groups trying to organize a more spirited and class-minded student body.

The turn-out at the senior class meeting was amazingly large. The enthusiasm shown at the freshman and sophomore meetings was nearly matched by the junior juniors going to Gies Hall found themselves in the midst of the choral club and not of the junior class. The meeting place could not have been changed on such short notice and still get a fair representation of the class.

Why did it all happen?—You tell us.

INSIDE STORY ON CABARET PARTY

MARTY BLAKE

Confusion is one of the prime virtues of the recently sponsored Cabaret Party and last minute details are a necessity. We paid strict attention to that rule. In fact, neither Wolfe and yours truly knew there would be a guest star, Freddy Stewart, was it? No, we were not. We informed you that Stewart was being besieged by 5,000 hard-core fans of the Wilkes High School Stadium.

If the interested reader sees a small idea of the confusion surrounding Stewart's visit, the following letter was submitted.

9:00 A.M. All quiet on the Ste. Stephen's Front

7:40 State police call, informing Danny Shuman the motorcycle escort is available. Sherman didn't have the slightest idea of who the escort nor did any of the committee.

7:45 Hotel Sterling calling saying suite of rooms for Victor Mann reserved and where was it and what time was being, etc. 8:00 WHWL asking time of show and when should they make recording, also unknown to committee.

8:31 Announcer at Kingston Stadium thrilling crowd with statement that the show was not to be telecast. 87 girls fainted.

8:45 Cabaret Committee made at Plymouth Stadium.

8:55 Virginia Bolen, boy friend of Charley Stocker and companion of Charles Williams. She wanted to pick up Stewart (in Ginny's borrowed track). 9:25 State Police under guiding of the state police escort, yard the 400 yard track and have been moved to Kirby 10.

9:37 Police with crooner arrive at Kingston Stadium, barb wire at entrance, campus enroute to Capitol Theater.

10:07 Police with crooner arrive at Kingston Stadium, could not see the road, the track was closed. 10:15 Stewart is mobbed by youngsters and takes refuge in dressing room.

10:15 Rescued by portly Bill Gies, the announcer, transported to Fraser convertible for plug for Cresco Motors and escorted around Public Square to Ste. Stephen's.

10:19 Dodie Haas arrives with explanation of police (we still don't get it) and the show starts.

12:10 Overact.

1:28 A.M. Curtain. That's the inside story behind the Fall Cabaret Party—thank heaven it's over.

Some of the students were complaining about their seats. June Parshing said she didn't mind sitting in the balcony that was reserved for her the night before. In fact Mrs. Peeney shrieking "What's happening?" 12:10 Overact. 1:28 A.M. Curtain. That's the inside story behind the Fall Cabaret Party—thank heaven it's over.

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LIBRARY GROWING

AT RAPID RATE

Another plea for silence in the college library is being sent out by the staff. It is inconvenient for the library to be crowded with quiet students individually. The cooperation of all students is necessary not only for their own benefit but for the library.

The disappearance of reserve books is another serious problem. Reserve books are needed by all students taking a particular course, and it is unfair to withdraw them. Books on the reserve shelf are not to be taken from the library until nine P.M. and should be returned by eight A.M. the following morning.

The Wilkes College library has expanded more than over this fall. Over six hundred volumes have been added, making a total of 50,000. There are now no classrooms in the library. The former music room is being converted into a new reading room to accommodate the increased number of night school students. All books alphabetically listed on the library shelf have been moved to the third floor.

The second floor has also undergone some changes. The filing and cataloging desk has been added to prevent students from having a hold-up at the desk. Their books will be returned to Kirby 107. The first floor now houses a home study and general repair room.

The Wilkes library has certainly grown with the college staff and will continue to expand as needs increase.
Every Saturday thousands of fans storm our gridirons to sit, cheer, and hear the clubs bang the bands and colors. We did not say they go to watch a football game, because to us there is nothing but something about the atmosphere, call it spirit, there and it is a part of the night wind. It penetrates the mind, intoxicates the reason, electrifies the senses, and soon the normally quiet are shouting, the normally drowsy are sitting up, and the plain girls become pretty, and a first down is a golden treasure.

If you are one of those thousands, you did have a lot of fun, but not nearly as much as you could have had. Just come to the Wilkes-Lycoming game forget about the band, the girl, and the backfield, and watch the Wilkes line go to work. There is a sight to behold: The work that the backfield does speak for itself; the magnificent work that the line does, has to be ferreted out by an experienced eye.

Willie's moment the bridge gate is the game. You looked as though Bridgeport had an entire fleet of daysthrashing backs. They had to! If you had Hendershot, Vashon, Gorgo, Lewis, and Bucquo chasing you backwards all around, you look ditzy, too. Bridgeport's line, to your delight, is a line that was no match for the solid Wilkes line.

Take the Bloomsburg game and the highly touted team that hasn't beat since Wilkes shut them down. It took them only one quarter to find that they were facing the most rugged line they had ever seen. You could see them give up. They didn't like the way they were getting clobbered and cracked and showed it.

As far as I am concerned, that line can have to contend with? He has to play against a five, six, or seven men. He may face a boy for defense, or a looping line. How does a lineman knowing he is going to be strapped? Suppose you were playing for three quarters against a six-man line. The play was crucial and depended on how well you did your job. Suddenly, the opposition went into man line on an overshift. What would you do? Don't try to just keep your eyes on the Wilkes line in the next game and they'll show you what you should do.

In this day's astronomical scoring, it is not easy to see a team like Wilkes go out and win. It is a good old-fashioned team of some minute football players who can play rugged inside. The skimming of the line has handled itself this year, the team didn't have a score a basketful of touchdowns to work with time. The team is a good football, but in my humble opinion, they are playing the best football you will ever see.

Carl Gibson announces a meeting of all Bowling League members in Butler Hall at 12:30 Mon- day, and elect officers.

Sweet Music: Spoke to a group of locals who took in the Penn-Navy game. Opinions? Wilkes uses the single wing much more impressively than does Penn. Not bad year for the line. The backfield has been using it about fifty years longer than we.

If you don't think Wilkes inside men the best? Just take a look:

Wilkes played Upsala
Upsala played Susquehanna
Susquehanna played Old Y.
N. Y. U. played Georgetown
Georgetown played Wake Forest
Wake Forest played S. M. U.
S. M. U. played in the Dome.

Now all we need is a bowl bid.

 Forgotten 34.5 pounds out played only the first half of the Bloomsburg game. Came out with a broken ankle. But who can forget the promise he showed? He will be back. Next year won't forget him this time! Neither will King's.

What about a homecoming day? Many of our otus are going to forget us if we don't stop forgetting them.

Speaking of days, don't you think an undefeated season will call for a special D.A.Y. to honor Coach Wilkins and the graduates players. There is no one who has done more to be honored.

Keeping the figure down: Irene Sheelock is crowding par at the Hollochack Country Club. Word has it that Louise Breneman also swings a mean club. They are looking for competition from the girl.

OUT OF THE DUGOUT

On the crowded dance floor at the cabaret dance: Male voice: "I wish I were Flory. I'd get through this mob!"
Girl's voice (alleg): "I wish you were Flory, too!"

From a far corner: Girl's voice: "Quit growling. You sound like Steamer Crow!"

Wonder if Gus Castle ever gets tired? If I could do my work as effortlessly as he plays football, I'd never get tired enough to sit down.

Glad to hear King's made the win column. Now they can't accuse us of picking Steamer Crow!

Stagger Plat has Brooklynites. Saw him in front of Nick's with catcher's mitt telling the fellows to wait until next year.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: Do you think Wilkes will ever win?

SWIMMING CLUB IN THE SWIM AGAIN

The Wilkes College Swimming Club will have its reorganization meeting in the form of a swimming to be held at the YMCA pool Friday, November 4 from 8 to 10 P.M. Shadrack Jones, president, will address the gathering.

The swimming club was organized in March of last year through the efforts of those freshmen students who were interested in the sport of swimming. Members Phyllis Nelson, Barbara Close, Secretary, consented to become the faculty advisors. Shadrack Jones was elected president, Norma Lou Coon, vice-president, Barbara Close, Secretary. The club, approved by the administration, then secured a club membership in the YMCA which enables the members of that organization to swim at the YMCA night of meetings. This privilege was used every other week for twelve weeks. The final meeting was held at Bemid Park in the form of a meet. Membership is open to any Wilkes College student. A health examination is required for membership. Everyone should bring his own bathing suit and cap these are not provided by the YMCA.

Bowling League News

By CLYDE RITTER

Forty Wilkes leggiers took part in the second bowling battle of the season last Tuesday night at the Eagles. Fifty pins, the pins were silenced and the scores tallied. The Eagles, by virtue of their victory over the lose fortunate Buckeyes, emerged as sole possessors of first rank in the league standings. The euphemism of the evening occurred when a rejuvenated Chem-Club blew out the Buckshakers in a splintered match. Tanky Celmar of the Chem-Club hit with his 557 series.

The ISC team moved into second place when they fought a 1 to 1 with Thor's Five. Third place went to Celmar, 7, as I. L. to the Bucks and company whitewashed the enthusiastic but unlucky Dorm. The undefeated Engineers lost ground in the standings because of the average they have been doing. The boys from Cangomah are pacing to next week when they clash with the league leading Wheels.

Schedule For November 1

Wheels vs. Engineers
Kushmachers vs. Thor's Five
Chem-Club vs. Dorm League Standings

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PIGSKIN PRODIGIES

CHET MOLLEY

To the greatest guards and staunchest men.

Let's give or mighty ball.
To those who sit at the bench's end
And guard the water pool.
You've never seen them humble yet,
To start your mind to your feet;
And they never sink your moral tone.

Topped nay your fervor.
They've never received a penalty.
With incoh to go for dipping;
Nor can be said, with a clear field ahead.
You've never seen them dipping.

With the team behind by only a point.
And you know 'tis now or never.
Cause the clock does show two minutes to go.
They won't dismiss you ever.
For your fingersails gone, and your hat is down.
They never are to blame.
For they never, never miss the pass;
That would have won the game.

Perhaps you'll say, "They never win!
But then they never lose.
And a loss can mean as much as a win.
So, there is no need to choose.

Now give a cheer for the guards and ends.
Who have succeeded nor fail.
Who sit on the bench and guard the water pool.

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Meet The Colonels
By ED TUBERKSI

Colonels

Joey Clewe, a junior, is the starting quarterback for Coach Rutten. Before coming to Wilkes, Norm played his football at G&H and Wyoming Seminary. Besides being an excellent defensive man, he is one of the best blocking backs in the business. His job is a thankless one, even though he doesn't think so. As long as he can block, and then get up and block again, he's happy. The satisfaction he gets out of knocking would-be tacklers out of the play is thanks enough for him. As Georgia Body so aptly said, "Clewe should get half credit for every TD the Colonels chalk up." Rutten's "TD Fervor" puts 180 pounds of dynamite on a 5 ft. 9 in. frame, and when he hits, they say hit.

The other backfield man of this week is Hammers' Hank Supinski. This is Hank's fourth year as abackfieldman, and it is the first year that he has appeared without an injury. He was handicapped by injuries in previous years. Hank was forced to watch the opening games from the bench, but when he is needed for his luminous plunges, he is always ready. Bouncing up the line alongside of Sammy Ellis, he completes a combination of quickness to outmaneuver any line in any game. Together they manage to help the line keep the enemies' scoring to a minimum.

CROSS

Now we shift to the heart of the Colonels' line...two of the "Seven Blocks of Anthracite" Big Wilt Hender- shot'a knock-'em-off-deck tackle, has the distinction of being one of the big- gest tackles in the state. He has been a Colonel since 1948, and Ralston, his last year, is proving to be his best. He played scholastic football at Kingston, elsewhere he received Scholastic honors. He is the sturdy, steady, head-to-mass- type of tackle, and he should a lot of responsibility. When he leaves the squad, Coach Rutten is going to miss those broad shoulders.

Dipping in on the opposite side of the line is Gerald Washko, Wilkes' handsom- est performer in power. Transferring from Wilkes Forest, Washko has the hearts of the Wilkes students. He first played football for Mansfield High. Despite his size he is one of the fastest men on the team. He can dig in and hold the best of them, or he can charge and break up the play before it starts. And he can pull out of the line and run interference for his backfield men. Using his speed and size to advantage, he has led many a Wilkes' parade to touchdowns.

WILKES TO MATCH TD'S WITH LYCOMING

ED TUBERKSI

Tomorrow night at Huber Stadium, Plymouth, the Colonels will play host to a Lycoming eleven from Williamsport. Kick-off is scheduled for 8:00 P.M.

Despite a few key injuries, the Colonels will enter tonight's contest favored by at least two touchdowns. However, Coach George Rashon is not underestimating Lycoming. "They're always rough," he said. "And they always give us a good battle. I think we have the better team; however, anything can happen. We'll be out there doing our best!"

Wilkes is still one of the few undefeated teams in the state, and they'll be out to keep their record intact. Only twice this year have the Colonels been held to less than three touchdowns, and both times they were playing away from home.

To date, Rashon's Rugger Rectors have chalked up 93 points while relinquishing 47.

With the backfield in good condition, the only worries Coach Rutten has are in his line. Chuck Knapich, a key guard against the "TD" is still out with a back injury. Norm Cramock, a key guard hurt his ankle last Tuesday in practice, and will not be in the lineup for this game. Dick Scripp, still another guard is out with a knee injury. However, the biggest question lies in the condition of Gerald Washko. Rutten said he probably will play, he will definitely be in there under a severe handicap...a back injury that may impair his playing efficiency. The only backfield men who have a chance of action tomorrow night will be Jack DeReemer, defensive halfback.

On the other hand, Lycoming will invade Plymouth in full strength. Coach Lee Baer has 12 lettermen returning to the squad, and nothing will please him more than an upset against Wilkes. Endearing to put his school on the bargaining map, Coach Baer bit off a rough schedule this year. After opening against Susquehanna University, the Warriors followed up with King's, to whom they lost 14-7, then New Wilkes, and then National Agricultural.

Starting at the left end for the Warriors will be Donald Hammm, a junior who tips the scales at 180 and stands 6-1. On the opposite side of the line is a young man who played varsity ball last year as a Fresh. He is sophomore Harry Walters, 6-2, 165 pound end. James Keller, Warrior Captain, will start at tackle. He stands 6-3 and weighs in at 190. His site is no handicap as he is one of the fastest men on the squad. No information was available on tackle Wesen; he's the pleaser of the week. In the guard slot Coach Baer will start his heartman, Gene Schramm, a senior who is 5-11 and weighs 240. Harold Ader, right guard, is not quite as heavy as Schramm. While his height is the same, he only weighs 215. At center is Jerry Sieglet, to hope of the Warrior rear- guards. As a high school player, he was chosen All-State and All- scholastic. He was also picked on the All-Western Conference team.

With a backfield averaging only 165, one can expect lots of maddi- daze football from the Warriors. Quarterbacking the team is James Gore, a senior who is 5-7 and 160. A fast man on his feet, Gore is also a fast thinker. At the left halfback post Coach Baer will place his faith in the running and passing of Bob Maxville, a sophomore. Maxville is 5-11, 160, and another speed demon. The Hermes of Lycoming in the past has been able to out-run the Colonels, but this year he may have his work cut out for him. Rutten's three men will take away from him any chance of making headlines as a three-game homestand.

Soccer Game
2:00 P.M.
October 29, 1949
Wilkes College vs. Stroudsburg S. T. C.

Kirby Park

REMEMBER

* Wilkes Colonels Meet Lycoming
Saturdays at 8:00 P. M.
* At
Huber Stadium, Plymouth
* Back The Colonels!

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on the square
THE COLLEGE MAN'S STORE

right halfback John Malby. He is the fastest man on the team and always represents a scoring threat. Fullback, George Bollak will see plenty of action. He is 6, 100. This is the first of a three-game homestand...the fourth being played at Meyers as King's home game...and will be an excellent chance for the Valley fans to see the Colonels in action. The Colonels are crowding the other state eulogies for honors in Pennsylvania, and still have a rough schedule ahead of them. After tomorrow night's game, Rashon's all-stars meet Rid- ger, a team that is out for revenge for the bitter defeat the Colonels handed them last year. Doylestown, and King's, in that order. It's a rough road, but we feel that the Colonels are up to it, and we are looking for their best season to date. REMEMBER...the 6th game.

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THE LUCKY B.A.

By SKINNER

(Do the tune of That Lucky Old Sail)

Up in the morning
Out to my class
Work like a devil for my grade
But that lucky B.A. has nothing to do
But sit around Chase all day.

Tell with my math
Fuss with my chem
Work till I'm wrinkled and grey
But that lucky B.A. has nothing to do
But sit around campus all day.

Good deeds above
Can't you see ‘em flintin’
Be in school for years
Send down that cloud with the silver lining
Observe me to LIBERAL ARTS.

Show me the answers
Don’t make me groan
Wash all my troubles away
What a comfort that lucky B.A.
But then sit around Chase all day.

It
Start in the morning
Finish at night
Always on the week-ends no play
But that lucky B.A. has nothing to do
But read a few books all day.

Miss all the dances
Miss all the plays
Football games I never see
But that lucky B.A. has nothing to do
But sit around Chase all day.

Good prof above
Can’t you see I’m chokin’
Art in my face
Tide in my slide rule with the answers on it
PAIR OF DICE.

Show me that chem lab
Take it away
What a comfort that lucky B.A.
But that lucky B.A. has nothing to do
But sit around Chase all day.

Lines of An Inspiring Poet

By a crooked acced Jack
(Capt. of football team)

I hear John Keats turn’d o’er in his grave
And shudderd his sons from a local house
Byron and Shelley and Wordsworth too
Bundled together and northwest they flew.

They joined all poets of past renown,
Who, armed with pens were speeding down
To arrange a worse beyond compare,
To punctuate a bug of Wilkes, Better.

I quote a writer, “Who is this clown
Who’s torn all semblance of poetry down.”

“T’was mighty Joe Young or Marty Whittaker.”

The bard thus spoke to all who could hear,
“No difference is there when app
Among three men
But the culprit face you cannot mis
He wears the leer of one MartinBlake”.

The listening earth grew one great cheer
And the whole room exclaimed, “that’s splendid indeed, and was not.

The bard of Wilkes all danced with joy
Except Martha—who loved the boy.

The horse hit Wilkes with righteous might
And found the slick near Chase Hall
door
Muffling and proving some fencing thus
Who would not share his content kiss.

He heard the song’s marvelous din
And slowly turned his drooling chin
His face grew green and white with fear
And all his wit did disappear.

To tell the end I would not dare
And the bard clasped the hands of his dearest
It should be well enough to know...
The WIND of Wilkes has ceased to blow.

Sociology club elects officers

The Sociology Club had its first meeting at noon, October 26, 1949, in Chase Theater. The following officers were elected: President, Larry Pehle; Secretary, Martha Sheridan; Treasurer, Mike Connors; Social Chairman, Marjanna Tomaselli, and William Prater. During the meeting future social activities lists were planned and several suggestions were made for the coming semester. It was decided that a meeting shall be held one Sunday a month at 3:30.

Votes were decided to be necessary and the members made a motion that they be 25 cents a month. The motion passed unanimously.

Anybody wishing to join the Sociology Club please contact Mr. Symonelwicz or Mr. Chartes.

WILKES COLLEGE BEACON

THE FILM: LOS MILLONES DE CHAFAN

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AIR TRAINING SCHOOL FIRST OF ITS KIND

It is good to know that in this uncertain world, one woman has made job assurance her career. She is Katherine Policy Ward, director of the Ward School of Airplane Training at Worcester, Mass., the first school of its kind in the world and one with 99 percent placement record after five years of operation. This is an enviable record at any time, and especially so considering the economic ups and downs since the war's end.

The school trains young men and women for careers in airplane operation, an expanding field which offers scope to the ambitious, intelligent individual.

Back in 1944 when Mrs. Ward broached her plan to them, airplanes were so enthusiastic that they supplied her with duplicate equipment and every piece of pertinent job information they had accumulated over the years. In addition, they volunteered to send personnel chiefs to interview her students for possible placement. The first class was snapped up in its entirety by the first interviewer! Since then, the school has seen a radical about face in the usual job hunting picture — business competing for graduates.

Part of this is due to Mrs. Ward herself — she believes in individual training in a specialized field. No applicant is accepted unless he or she has a definite interest in the profession. Aptitude tests are a must. So is personality. So is enthusiasm. So is a great capacity for work. And if, after three weeks, the student fails to live up to the school's standards, he or she is dropped.

Since airlines do not insist any more that applicants for hostess careers be registered nurses and will take instead of an R.N. certificate two years or more of college, grade education or four years of meeting the public, Mrs. Ward has added a hostess training program to her curriculum.

Requirements for the Ward School are the same as the airlines: $1,200 to $2,000 old, 5'8" tall, weight 100 to 130 lbs; no physical defects — glasses, capped teeth and dyed hair are included in this category. Each applicant must pass a stiff personal interview, an aptitude test and a physical examination. The school has no intention of blinding its placement record.

Airl ine executives are watching the school with interest, for all but two have dropped their own training programs. One airline executive put it this way in talking with Mrs. Ward: "If a girl with the necessary qualifications is willing to devote her time and her money to learning airplane work, she's the girl for us."

NOTICE!

PRE-MEETING MEETING
NEXT THURSDAY

FROM 7:30 TO 9:00 P.M.

SENIORS!
ON TUESDAY VOTE FOR
President: Joe Rodko
Vice President: Bill Plummer
Secretary: Joan Ryan
Treasurer: Joan Dito

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Dr. Farley Visits Hershey, N. Y. C.

On Monday, October 24, Dr. Farley journeyed to Hershey, Pa., to attend a dinner meeting of the Pennsylvania Association of Colleges and Universities.

Tuesday and Wednesday, Dr. Farley attended the Herald Tribune Forum at Waldorf-Astoria, New York City. This was the nineteenth annual forum meeting and was of international significance.

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REV. SCHINDLER ADDRESSES I. R.

Reverend Carl Schindler, guest speaker at a program sponsored by the I. R. to commemorate the fourth anniversary of United Nations, The meeting was held last Monday in the 9th Lecture Hall.

Rev. Schindler, who has recently completed an extensive trip of Germany, told of the existing conditions and of the attitudes of the people. He said that the people are still crowded and cramped and that when destruction still is prevalent. The attitude of the population is that of four of the Rooseveltians and respect for the Americanisms. Rev. Schindler remarked that the Marshall Plan is a great force in the rehabilitation of Germany.